Louisiana Board of Ethics

P.O. Box 4368

Baton Rouge, La

Good evening,

I am writing you today to request a waiver of late fees affiliated with registering (61) days late. I am in my second year of lobbying for the Louisiana Association of Educators and I have had an excellent working relationship with Andrea Millet. My reports are filed on time and I assure that I, and all of the LAE registered lobbyist complete the required trainings. This was a situation of an honest mistake of entering the wrong information into the system while registering with the ethics board on March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022. I properly registered three (3) lobbyist for LAE in the system dated March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022. When it was time to register myself at that same time, I accidentally put January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 as my first action date instead of March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022 like I intended to. I was multitasking and working while fatigued when registering LAE's four (4) lobbyist and put in the wrong first action date for myself. All of us started on the same day (which was March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022) but I made an error of entering the wrong first action date for myself.

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I am humbly requesting that you waive the late fee as a result of this mistake. It will not happen again. Thank you for your consideration.

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Attention: Andrea Millet

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